

**Claims**

1. Pincers for moving flexible strand material (3), particularly flexible rods for pulling cables into cable protection tubes, comprising a pincer body (2) having a longitudinally extending opening for receiving a part of the strand material (3), said pincer body (2) having a handle (5) mounted for pivoting, which handle (5) is supported in said pincer body (2) in such a way that it engages at least partially in said longitudinally extending opening of the pincer body (2) when operated,  
c h a r a c t e r i z e d i n  
that a driveable transport device (10) is arranged in the pincer body (2) opposite the handle (5).
  
2. Pincers according to claim 1,  
c h a r a c t e r i z e d i n  
that the transport device (10) is configured as a driving belt (13) which is arranged to revolve in the longitudinal direction of the pincer body (2).
  
3. Pincers according to claim 1,  
c h a r a c t e r i z e d i n  
that the transport device (10) has a shaft (12) for the connection to a driving device, which shaft protrudes at least beyond one side face of the pincer body (2).
  
4. Pincers according to claim 3,  
c h a r a c t e r i z e d i n

that the shaft (12) has a polygonal cross-section at least on the end thereof protruding beyond one side face of the pincer body (2).

5. Pincers according to claim 3,

characterized in

that the driving of the transport device (10) takes place manually by means of a crank and/or mechanically by means of e.g. an electric motor and/or by means of a hand drill.

6. Pincers according to claim 2,

characterized in

that the driving belt (13) is configured as a toothed belt.

7. Pincers according to claim 2,

characterized in

that the driving belt (13) revolves about two mutually spaced driving rollers (11).

8. Pincers according to claim 7,

characterized in

that both driving rollers (11) are driveable.

9. Pincers according to claim 7,

characterized in

that at least one driving roller (11) is formed as a driving pinion.

10. Pincers according to claim 2,

characterized in

that the driving belt (13) has a surface which increases the frictional coefficient.

11. Pincers according to claim 1,  
c h a r a c t e r i z e d i n  
that the pincer body (2) has at least one and preferably more guide rollers (14) and/or guide strips (15) which are arranged in the longitudinal direction of the pincer body (2) ahead of and/or behind the transport device (10).
12. Pincers according to claim 11,  
c h a r a c t e r i z e d i n  
that the guide rollers (14) and/or guide strips (15) have a reduced cross-section and/or recess in the middle portion thereof.
13. Pincers according to claim 1,  
c h a r a c t e r i z e d i n  
that the pincer body (2) is comprised of an elongated handle part (9) and a head part (8) moulded to it.
14. Pincers according to claim 1,  
c h a r a c t e r i z e d i n  
that the pincer body (2) can be attached and fixed to a device (20) for storing and paying out flexible strand material (3).
15. Pincers according to claim 1,  
c h a r a c t e r i z e d i n  
that the handle (5) can be locked in the pincer body (2).

16. Pincers according to claim 15,  
characterized in  
that the handle (5) can be locked in different positions in the pincer body (2).
17. Pincers according to claim 1,  
characterized in  
that the pincer body (2) includes a length measuring device.
18. Pincers according to claim 1,  
characterized in  
that the pincer body (2) has on the front end thereof a retaining member (19), by means of which the pincer body (2) can be positively locked to and/or frictionally engaged with a feeder box or the like.
19. Pincers according to claim 1,  
characterized in  
that the pincer body (2) consists of two mutually parallel plate-shaped members (4) which are connected to each other, with at least the transport device (10) being arranged between said plate-shaped members (4).
20. Pincers according to claim 1,  
characterized in  
that a guide tube and/or a guide spiral for the strand material (3) can be attached to the pincer body (2).
21. Pincers according to claim 11 or claim 13,

c h a r a c t e r i z e d i n

that the pincer body (2) is configured as a tube or has a sheath (16) particularly in the region of the handle part (9).

22. Pincers according to claim 2,

c h a r a c t e r i z e d i n

that the driving belt (13) has in its upper surface facing the strand material (3) a recess which preferably corresponds with the outer contour of the strand material.

23. Pincers according to claim 1,

c h a r a c t e r i z e d i n

that handle (5) has a pressing surface (7) which is in the form of a circular arc section.

24. Pincers according to claim 23,

c h a r a c t e r i z e d i n

that the radius of the pressing surface (7) in the form of a circular arc section substantially corresponds with the radius of the device (20) for storing and paying out flexible strand material (3).

25. Pincers according to claim 3,

c h a r a c t e r i z e d i n

that the shaft (12) has a bit holder with a ball head.

26. Pincers according to claim 18,

c h a r a c t e r i z e d i n

that the retaining member (18) is in the form of a bolt laterally protruding beyond the pincer body (2).

27. Pincers according to claim 7,  
characterized in  
that at least the driven driving roller (11) is formed as one part with  
the toothed disk and the shaft (12) and the drive coupling member.